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Date 8/5/86

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FM: WASHINGTON FIELD (9A-NEW) (P) (C-4)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (PRIORITY)

ATTN: PERSONAL CRIMES UNIT

FBI, TAMPA (PRIORITY)

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RICHARD KANNANEN; SENATOR PAUL SIMON - VICTIM; EXTORTION; OO:WFO

APPROACH WITH CAUTION DUE TO SUBJECT'S MENTAL INSTABILITY.

FOR THE INFOORMATION OF THE BUREAU, AND TAMPA DIVISION, ON

8/5/86, [redacted] STAFF ASSISTANT TO SENATOR PAUL SIMON,

807 HART HOUSE OFFICE BUILDING, WASHINGTON, D.C. (WDC), [redacted]

[redacted] APPRISED THE WASHINGTON FIELD OFFICE (WFO) OF THE

FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

ON 8/4/86, AT APPROXIMATELY 3:00 P.M., A CALLER, WHO IDENTIFIED HIMSELF AS CAPTIONED SUBJECT RICHARD KANNANEN, 7611 ALACHUA STREET, ORLANDO, FLORIDA, TELEPHONE NUMBER (305) 481-

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THE CALLER BECAME VERY ANNGRY WHEN HE WAS INFORMED THAT THE SENATOR'S OFFICE WOULD NOT BE ABLE TO HELP HIM AND STATED:

"I DON'T KNOW WHAT IT TAKES BUT IF I HAVE TO KILL SOMEONE TO GET SOME ACTION THAT'S WHAT I'LL DO. I ONLY HAVE A NINTH GRADE EDUCATION BUT I HAVE AN IQ OF OVER 150 AND I KNOW YOU ARE JUST TRYING TO PUT ME OFF BUT I WILL TRY TO COME OUT THERE AND DO SOMETHING ABOUT THIS." THE CALLER ALSO STATED THAT "BLOOD WILL BE SHED."

DURING THE CONVERSATION, KANNANEN STATED THAT HE WAS BLIND.

ON 8/4/86, DETECTIVE [REDACTED] U.S. CAPITOL POLICE (USCP), CRIMINAL INVESTIGATIONS UNIT (CIU), 331 1ST STREET, N.E., WASHINGTON, D.C., TELEPHONE NUMBER [REDACTED] WAS MADE AWARE OF THE AFOREMENTIONED INFORMATION.

ON 8/4/86, SA [REDACTED], U.S. SECRET SERVICE (USSS), PROTECTIVE INTELLIGENCE SQUAD, 1050 CONNECTICUT AVENUE, N.W.,

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WASHINGTON, D.C., TELEPHONE NUMBER [] WAS CONTACTED AND HE INDICATED HIS AGENCY HAD NO RECORD OF KANNANEN.

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DUE TO PROBABLE KNOWN IDENTITY OF SUBJECT AND PHYSICAL INCAPABILITY OF CARRYING OUT THREAT, CONSNSUAL MONITORING DEVICE WILL NOT BE INSTITUTED AT THIS TIME.

LEADS. TAMPA DIVISION. AT ORLANDO, FLORIDA.

INTERVIEW CAPTIONED RICHARD KANNANEN AND CONFIRM HIS BLINDNESS; IF APPROPRIATE PRESENT TO U.S. ATTORNEY'S OFFICE FOR POSSIBLE PROSECUTION. ADVISED WFO OF RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION IN ORDER THAT USCP MIGHT BE APPROPRIATELY APPRISED.

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RICHARD KANNANEN; SENATOR PAUL SIMON - VICTIM; EXTORTION; OO:WFO

APPROACH WITH CAUTION DUE TO SUBJECT'S MENTAL INSTABILITY:

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IDENTIFIED HIMSELF AS CAPTIONED SUBJECT RICHARD KANNANEN, 7611

ALACHUA STREET, ORLANDO, FLORIDA, TELEPHONE NUMBER (305) 481-

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IN ORDER THAT USCP MIGHT BE APPROPRIATELY APPRISED.

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Field File No. TP9A-1496-1a-1

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(Address of Contributor)

(City and State)

By _____
(Agent)

To Be Returned Yes No Receipt Given Yes No

Grand Jury Material - Disseminate Only Pursuant to Rule 6(e), Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure Yes No

Title: Richard A. Kenonen;
Senator Paul Simon - Victim;
Extortion
OO: WFO

Reference: _____
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Description: ~~Original~~ notes re interview of Richard A. Kenonen
on 9-24-86.

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Richard Alfred Kenanen - 7611 Alachua St., Orlando.
305-281-0594

9/24/86

legally blind - lost couple of years,
Progressive problem over past 4-6 years.

cannot recall placing tel. call to
office of Sen. Paul Simon, W.D.C., in 8/86.

Re: his law suit against Sen. Banks, he has
filed an appeal with the U.S. Supreme Court.

Has sent a letter to Senate Judiciary Committee,
alleging payoff and corruption by Supreme Court re
its denial to review his case.

is requesting help in investigation the Supreme
Court, which only the Senate can do.

Claims someone furnished FBI the info re
8/4/86 call to Sen. P. Simon's office at 3pm
has provided false / misleading info. He claims
he would never have provided a foot pattern
involving his civil suit - he would have discussed
his allegations against the Supreme Court.

Did call Senate Judiciary Committee - but
cannot recall why he made this call. This
call was after 6/17/86. - the date of the letter
denying review of his case. - writ of cert. 8/19/86
was that Supreme Court denied rehearing.

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After genes was read, RAK advised he knows what it takes to kill someone - would not have to elaborate. Claims the Supreme Court is corrupt, & will remain so for next 25 years. Then listed a number of agencies he alleges are corrupt -

Supreme Court

FBI

State of Fla. A.G.

OCSD

FDLE

RAK is representing himself - cannot afford a lawyer.

Has a year of college. Up thru 10th grade in H.S.

Has been at this for 25 years - referring to having taken legal action against persons who have violated his rights.

Advised his wife - who is not at home - would have to find his Aug '86 telephone bill.

The only call he recalls placing to "up there" - ref. to WDC - is to Sen. Judiciary Committee.

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Richard Alfred Kononen

10-15-33

(82nd Airborne)

Mass - Quincy

021-24-6052

(RA 11223221)

U.S. Army - '51-'54; '57-'58 - discharged

on a medical - based upon a special operation.

Legally blind

Under doctor's care. - being treated for

9 blockages in heart

Does not own any firearms.

Does not possess any explosives - said et

Does not possess particular expertise in handling
explosives except that acquired while in U.S. Army.

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INBOX:5 (#2442)

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P 062319Z AUG 86

FM TAMPA (9A-NEW) (ORA) (RUC)

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ATTENTION PERSONAL CRIMES UNIT, FBIHQ

RICHARD KANNANEN; SENATOR PAUL SIMON - VICTIM; EXTORTION; OO: WFO

RE WFO TELETYPE TO BUREAU AND TAMPA, AUGUST 5, 1986.

FOR INFO OF MIAMI, ON AUGUST 4, 1986, AT APPROXIMATELY
3:00 P.M., A CALLER WHO IDENTIFIED HIMSELF AS CAPTIONED SUBJECT,
RICHARD KANNANEN, 7611 ALACHUA STREET, ORLANDO, FLORIDA,
305/481-0594, TELEPHONICALLY CONTACTED THE CAPITOL HILL OFFICE OF
SENATOR PAUL SIMON TO REQUEST HELP IN A CIVIL MATTER WHICH KANNANEN
HAD PENDING AGAINST SUN BANK IN FLORIDA.

THE CALLER BECAME VERY ANGRY WHEN HE WAS INFORMED THAT THE
SENATOR'S OFFICE WOULD NOT BE ABLE TO HELP HIM AND STATED,
APPROACHED WITH CAUTION DUE TO SUBJECT'S MENTAL INSTABILITY.

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DURING THE CONVERSATION, KANNANEN STATED THAT HE WAS BLIND.

INVESTIGATION AT ORLANDO DETERMINED THE FOLLOWING:

THE ORLANDO AREA CROSS REFERENCE DIRECTORY LISTS AN ALACHUA STREET IN ORLANDO, BUT DOES NOT HAVE A LISTING FOR AN ADDRESS OF 7611 ALACHUA. PHYSICAL INVESTIGATION IN THE AREA WHERE ALACHUA STREET SHOULD BE LOCATED, FAILED TO LOCATE THAT STREET.

CONTACT WITH SOUTHERN BELL TELEPHONE, ORLANDO, DETERMINED THERE IS NO TELEPHONE LISTING IN THE ORLANDO AREA FOR A RICHARD KANNANEN. IT WAS ALSO DETERMINED FROM SOUTHERN BELL THAT THE EXCHANGE OF 481 IN THE 305 AREA CODE IS LOCATED IN DEERFIELD BEACH, FLORIDA.

MIAMI AT DEERFIELD BEACH, FLORIDA: LOCATE AND INTERVIEW

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CAPTIONED SUBJECT RICHARD KANNANEN TO CONFIRM HIS BLINDNESS.

IF APPROPRIATE, PRESENT TO USA'S OFFICE FOR POSSIBLE PROSECUTION.

ADVISE WFO OF RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION IN ORDER THAT U.S. CAPITOL
POLICE MIGHT BE APPROPRIATELY ADVISED. CONTACT WFO FOR ADDITIONAL
INFO, IF NECESSARY.

APPROACH WITH CAUTION DUE TO SUBJECT'S MENTAL INSTABILITY.

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INBOX.1 (#2614)

TEXT:

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TO DIRECTOR PRIORITY

TAMPA PRIORITY

WASHINGTON FIELD OFFICE PRIORITY

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RICHARD KANWANEN; SENATOR PAUL SIMON - VICTIM, EXTORTION;

OO: MIAMI.

RE TAMPA TELETYPE TO BUREAU, AUGUST 7, 1986.

CONTACT WITH SOUTHERN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY (SBTC), FORT
LAUDERDALE, FLORIDA, DISCLOSES TELEPHONE NUMBER 305-481-0594,
TO BE AN UNASSIGNED NUMBER. DIALING OF THE NUMBER CONFIRMS
SBTC'S INFORMATION. ACCORDING TO SBTC SECURITY MANAGER

[REDACTED] A COMPUTER INQUIRY SHOWS THAT 305-481-0594,

HAS NOT BEEN ASSIGNED TO ANYONE IN AT LEAST TWO YEARS. OF HIS
OWN KNOWLEDGE, HE DOUBTS THE NUMBER HAS EVER BEEN ASSIGNED AS 481

APPROACH WITH CAUTION, SUBJECT POSSIBLY MENTALLY UNSTABLE.

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IS A VERY NEW EXCHANGE IN THE 305 AREA. THE 481 EXCHANGE SERVES THE DEERFIELD BEACH, FLORIDA, AREA.

MIAMI INDICES AND RECORDS OF THE DEERFIELD BEACH POLICE DEPARTMENT, ARE NEGATIVE REGARDING SUBJECT.

SECURITY OFFICER, SUN BANK, FORT LAUDERDALE, FLORIDA, CAUSED A COMPUTER CHECK OF SUN BANK RECORDS FOR THE ENTIRE STATE OF FLORIDA. SUBJECT DOES NOT NOW HAVE, NOR HAS HE EVER HAD, ANY TYPE OF SUN BANK ACCOUNT.

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TAMPA, AT ORLANDO, FLORIDA, WILL CONTACT SUN BANK HEADQUARTERS, PERHAPS THE LEGAL DEPARTMENT, AND DETERMINE IF SUBJECT CAN BE IDENTIFIED AS HAVING A CIVIL ACTION PENDING AGAINST SUN BANK. THEREAFTER, ADVISE BUREAU AND WASHINGTON FIELD OFFICE.

MIAMI CONSIDERS MATTER RUC.

APPROACH WITH CAUTION, SUBJECT POSSIBLY MENTALLY UNSTABLE.

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INBOX.2 (#2618)

INFORMATION CONCERNING THREAT

TO: SAC, WFO (9A-5442)(C-4)(P)
FROM: SA [REDACTED]
SUBJECT: RICHARD KANNANEN;
SENATOR PAUL SIMON-VICTIM;
EXTORTION;
OO: WFO

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VICTIM: SENATOR PAUL SIMON

TYPE OF THREAT: (a) Telephonic XXXXX
(b) Written _____
(c) In Person _____

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SYNOPSIS:

On 8/5/86, [REDACTED] Staff Assistant to Senator PAUL SIMON, 807 Hart House Office Building, Washington, D.C., [REDACTED] advised WFO that, on 8/4/86, a caller, who identified himself as Richard Kannanen, 7611 Alachua Street, Orlando, Florida, (305)481-0594, called SENATOR SIMON's Capitol Hill office and stated: "I don't know what it takes but if I have to kill someone to get some action that's what I'll do." The caller was complaining about a civil suit he had with Sun Bank, in Florida. During the conversation the caller stated he was blind. WFO indices negative.

NOTIFICATION:

1. Detective [REDACTED] U.S. Capitol Police, CIU, [REDACTED]
2. SA [REDACTED] U.S. Secret Service, Protective Intelligence Squad

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ACTION TAKEN:

1. Priority teletype to Bureau, and Tampa Division, 8/5/86

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Date of transcription 8/14/86

[redacted], Staff Assistant to Senator PAUL SIMON, 807 Hart, House Office Building, Washington, D.C., telephone number [redacted] was advised of the identity of the interviewing agent and nature of the interview and thereafter provided the following information:

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On August 4, 1986, at approximately 3:00 p.m., a caller, who identified himself as RICHARD KANNANEN, 7611 Alachua Street, Orlando, Florida, telephone number (305) 481-0594, telephonically contacted the Capitol Hill office of Senator PAUL SIMON, to request help in a civil suit which he (KANNANEN) had pending against SUN BANK, in Florida.

The caller became very angry when he was informed that the Senator's office would not be able to help him and stated:

"I don't know what it takes but if I have to kill someone to get some action that's what I'll do. I only have a ninth grade education but I have an I.Q. of over 150 and I know you are just trying to put me off but I will try to come out there and do something about this."

The caller also stated that, "blood will be shed."

During the conversation, KANNANEN stated that he was blind.

Investigation on 8/5/86 at Washington, D.C. File# 9A-5442-5

by SA [redacted] WTR:cdp Date dictated 8/7/86

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TEXT:

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TO DIRECTOR PRIORITY

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"CHANGED" RICHARD A. KANANEN; SENATOR PAUL SIMON - VICTIM;
EXTORTION; OO: WFO.

TITLE MARKED "CHANGED" IN ORDER TO ACCURATELY REVEAL SPELLING
OF SUBJECT'S LAST NAME, AS WELL AS TO ADD THE MIDDLE INITIAL.

TITLE PREVIOUSLY CARRIED AS, "RICHARD KANNANEN; SENATOR PAUL SIMON -
VICTIM; EXTORTION; OO: WFO."

RE TAMPA TELETYPE TO BUREAU, AUGUST 7, 1986.

FOR INFO OF BUREAU AND RECEIVING OFFICES, CONTACT WITH LEGAL
DEPARTMENT OF SUN BANKS, N.A., ORLANDO, FLORIDA, ON SEPTEMBER
2, 1986, ASCERTAINED THAT RICHARD A. KANANEN AND MARILYN KANANEN
ARE INVOLVED IN A LONG ONGOING CIVIL LAW SUIT WHICH FIRST BEGAN IN
APPROACH WITH CAUTION; SUBJECT POSSIBLY MENTALLY UNSTABLE.

Paul
*9-5442**

SGT [redacted]
USCP CIU
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1982 OR 1983, AND CONCERNS A DELINQUENT COMMERCIAL LOAN EXTENDED IN 1980 TO SUNSHINE CHEMICAL COMPANY AND THE KANANENS BY THE COMMERCIAL BANK OF OKEECHOBEE (SINCE ACQUIRED BY SUN BANKS, N.A., AND NOW KNOWN AS SUN BANK OF OKEECHOBEE), OKEECHOBEE, FLORIDA.

RICHARD KANANEN HAS ENGAGED IN WHAT APPEARS TO BE A PROLIFIC LETTER WRITING CAMPAIGN OF HARASSMENT DIRECTED AGAINST [REDACTED] [REDACTED] SUN BANK OF OKEECHOBEE, AS WELL AS VARIOUS OFFICIALS OF SUNTRUST BANKS, INC., ATLANTA, GEORGIA, THE PARENT COMPANY OF SUN BANK, N.A. THE POSSIBILITY EXISTS THAT KANANEN MAY HAVE MADE THREATS OF A VIOLENT NATURE IN THESE LETTERS. IT IS NOT KNOWN IF ANY HARASSING AND/OR THREATENING TELEPHONE CALLS HAVE BEEN PLACED TO [REDACTED] OR SUNTRUST OFFICIALS.

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SUN BANKS IS PRESENTLY REPRESENTED BY [REDACTED] OF THE FIRM OF AKERMAN, SENTERFITT AND EIDSON, ONE BRICKELL SQUARE, 24TH FLOOR, 801 BRICKELL AVENUE, MIAMI, FLORIDA, 305/374-5600.

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[REDACTED] SHOULD BE ABLE TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL BACKGROUND RE RICHARD KANANEN, POSSIBLY INCLUDING INSIGHTS INTO KANANEN'S MENTAL STATE, AND ANY THREATS KANANEN MAY HAVE MADE TO OTHER INDIVIDUALS IN THE PAST.

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[REDACTED] SUN BANKS OF OKEECHOBEE, [REDACTED]

SHOULD BE ABLE TO FURNISH SIMILAR INFO WITH POSSIBLY GREATER
DETAIL CONCERNING ANY THREATS RECEIVED FROM RICHARD KANANEN,
AND INSIGHTS INTO KANANEN'S MENTAL STATE.

THE CIVIL SUIT BETWEEN THE KANANENS AND SUN BANKS, N.A., IS
IDENTIFIED AS FOLLOWS:

RICHARD/MARILYN KANANEN VS. SUN BANK OKEECHOBEE, USDS, CASE
NUMBER 86-8219 CIV, ROETTGER, AND IS BEFORE U.S. DISTRICT COURT,
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA.

INFO AVAILABLE FROM LEGAL DEPARTMENT, SUN BANKS, N.A., ORLANDO,
IS THAT MAIL SENT BY ATTORNEY [REDACTED] TO RICHARD A.
KANANEN AT 7611 ALACHUA STREET, ORLANDO, HAS BEEN RETURNED MARKED
"NOT DELIVERABLE" IN RECENT MONTHS.

CONTACT WITH U.S. POSTAL SERVICE OFFICIALS, ORLANDO, ON
SEPTEMBER 2 AND 3, 1986, HAS DETERMINED THAT THE ADDRESS OF 7611
ALACHUA STREET DOES EXIST, AND THAT RICHARD A. KANANEN STILL RESIDES
THERE AND DOES RECEIVE MAIL THERE. [REDACTED]
VENTURA POSTAL STATION, ORLANDO, ADVISED ON SEPTEMBER 3, 1986,
THAT HE IS FAMILIAR WITH RICHARD KANANEN. HE CONSIDERS HIM TO BE

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UNSTABLE, TO HAVE A "SHORT FUSE," AND TO BE A "SIGNAL 20" (A REFERENCE TO LOCAL ENFORCEMENT RADIO CODES FOR A MENTALLY OR EMOTIONALLY UNSTABLE OR UNPREDICTABLE PERSON). [REDACTED] ADVISED HE FORMERLY DELIVERED MAIL IN KANANEN'S NEIGHBORHOOD, AND HAS HAD AMPLE OPPORTUNITY TO OBSERVE KANANEN INTERACT WITH HIS NEIGHBORS.

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[REDACTED] KNOWS OF HIS OWN PERSONAL EXPERIENCE AND OBSERVATIONS THAT KANANEN HAS A PROPENSITY TO BECOME INVOLVED IN ARGUMENTS AND ALTERCATIONS, APPARENTLY WITH LITTLE OR NO REAL PROVOCATION.

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[REDACTED] DESCRIBES RICHARD KANANEN AS A WHITE MALE, 5'11", OVERWEIGHT, WHO WEARS HIS HAIR IN A CREW CUT STYLE, AND SQUINTS A LOT, INDICATING POOR EYESIGHT.

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MIAMI AT MIAMI, FLORIDA: CONTACT ATTORNEY [REDACTED] FOR ANY INFO CONCERNING RICHARD A. KANANEN'S HISTORY OF INITIATING THREATENING AND/OR HARASSING LETTERS AND/OR TELEPHONE CALLS TO OTHER PERSONS. OBTAIN ANY ADDITIONAL INFO WHICH COULD BE HELPFUL IN ASSESSING KANANEN'S POTENTIAL FOR CARRYING OUT HIS THREATS AGAINST OTHERS.

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AT OKEECHOBEE, FLORIDA: CONTACT [REDACTED] AND OBTAIN SIMILAR INFO AS SET FORTH IN LEAD FOR MIAMI.

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TAMPA AT ORLANDO, FLORIDA: 1. WILL INTERVIEW RICHARD A. KANANEN CONCERNING HIS TELEPHONE CALLS TO THE OFFICE U.S. SENATOR PAUL SIMON. 2. WILL DISCUSS WITH U.S. ATTORNEY'S OFFICE, MDF, ORLANDO DIVISION.

APPROACH WITH CAUTION; SUBJECT POSSIBLY MENTALLY UNSTABLE.

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Date 9/16/86

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
 FROM: SAC, MIAMI (9A-3917) (OC-1) (RUC)

RICHARD A. KANANEN;
 SENATOR PAUL SIMON-VICTIM
 EXTORTION
 (OO: WFO)

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 9-5442*
 44-533*
 56-488*
 100-34509*
 105-7362*
 89-916*

Richard Alfred Kananen

Re Tampa teletype to the Bureau dated 9/3/86 (received Fort Pierce RA 9/16/86) and telecall SA [redacted] to SA [redacted] (Miami Division).

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On 9/16/86, [redacted] Attorney, [redacted] Florida, telephone number [redacted] was telephonically contacted and he furnished the following information:

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[redacted] represents SUN BANK OF OKEECHOBEE, formerly known as COMMERCIAL BANK. The President of that institution is [redacted]

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In approximately 1982 or 1983, RICHARD and MARILYN KANANEN obtained a \$10,000 secured loan from COMMERCIAL BANK OF OKEECHOBEE. The purpose of the loan was to establish a sulfur distributing business. Shortly after entering the business, apparently, a quantity of the sulfur acquired by the KANANENS was contaminated and this resulted in a business failure. Ultimately, the KANANENS owed COMMERCIAL BANK approximately \$9,000 on the promissory note. After attempts to collect the funds, the bank filed a suit against the KANANENS in the amount of approximately \$9,000. The KANANENS, acting without counsel, filed countersuits

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- 2 - Tampa (9A-1496)
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Detective [redacted]
 United States Capitol Police
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in the amount of \$84,000,000 against the bank. [] advised the case went through the State Court system in Florida and noted the bank won the case on every point of law with the counter suit dismissed. [] stated that KANANEN is "obsessed with the case" and continues a campaign of letter-writing and the filing of additional suits. Currently, he has filed a suit in Federal Court which alleges he lost the suit in State Court because of a conspiracy involving the bank, attorneys, judges, lawyers, secretaries and persons within Okeechobee County.

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[] noted that many of KANANEN's letters are totally ludicrous and appear to be written by a "class one crazy as far as he was concerned." Some letters make references to KHADAFY and others make reference to the fact that he, KANANEN, has been harassed and that the harassment must stop. The letters contain generally all types of "wild allegations" and some veil threats. [] stated that the threats were not of an extortionate nature and did not cause him any fear. He did state, however, that he believes KANANEN to be "crazy" and that because of KANANEN's size, he could be a physical threat to someone if involved in a physical confrontation.

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[] advised that essentially, any information known to the bank was available to him. In view of that fact, no contact was established with [] or other persons at the COMMERCIAL BANK as [] represents that institution.

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In view of the above, no further investigation is being conducted by the Miami Division and this matter is being considered RUC'd.

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Date 9/15/86

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, MIAMI (9A-3917) (C-1) (P)

RICHARD A. KANANEN;
 SENATOR PAUL SIMON - VICTIM
 EXTORTION
 (OO: WFO)

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Richard KANNANEN

Re Tampa teletype to the Bureau, 9/3/86.

On 9/8/86, [redacted] Attorney, was contacted at his place of employment, AKERMAN, SENTERFITT AND EDISON, 801 Brickell Avenue, Miami, Florida.

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[redacted] advised he is familiar with KANANEN through a lawsuit which was filed by KANANEN against SUN BANK. [redacted] advised he is the attorney for SUN BANK and is currently attempting to have the lawsuit dismissed.

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[redacted] stated he has never personally met KANANEN but advised the former attorney in the case, [redacted] has had confrontations with KANANEN. [redacted] said [redacted] could be reached at telephone number [redacted] and is located in [redacted] Florida.

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[redacted] reviewed the file on KANANEN and concluded that KANANEN was aggressive, abusive and did not show a normal sense of balance. He believed that KANANEN could be dangerous to others but again suggested that [redacted] be contacted for a better opinion.

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Detective [redacted]
 Threats Squad
 Criminal Investigation Unit
 United States Capitol Police
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[redacted] stated the file showed that KANANEN had threatened several attorneys by telephone and direct confrontation. He advised that KANANEN, who represents himself in these legal proceedings, appears to have a personal vendetta against SUN BANK and anyone involved in the civil suit.

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Interview [redacted] at telephone number [redacted] once covered RUC.

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EXTORTION; OO: WFO.

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SENATOR PAUL SIMON - VICTIM; EXTORTION; OO: WFO."

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RE TAMPA TELETYPE TO DIRECTOR, SEPTEMBER 3, 1986.

FOR INFORMATION OF BUREAU AND RECEIVING OFFICES,
SUBJECT RICHARD ALFRED KANANEN INTERVIEWED SEPTEMBER 24, 1986,
AT HIS RESIDENCE IN ORLANDO, FLORIDA. KANANEN CLAIMED THAT
HE IS LEGALLY BLIND, AND THAT HE CAN ONLY DISTINGUISH SHADOWS.
KANANEN DENIED PLACING A THREATENING TELCALL TO THE
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Sergeant [redacted]
United States Capitol Police
Criminal Investigations Unit
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WASHINGTON, D.C., OFFICE OF U.S. SENATOR PAUL SIMON ON AUGUST 4, 1986, AND ADDED THAT WHOEVER TOLD THE FBI THAT HE HAD PLACED SUCH A CALL WAS FURNISHING FALSE AND/OR MISLEADING INFORMATION. KANANEN CLAIMED THAT HE HAD PLACED A TELEPHONE CALL TO THE SENATE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE SOMETIME BETWEEN ABOUT JUNE 17, 1986, AND AUGUST 19, 1986, BUT CLAIMED HE COULD NOT RECALL WHO HE HAD CALLED, OR WHEN THE CALL HAD BEEN MADE.

KANANEN DENIED THAT HE WOULD HAVE MADE SUCH A CALL SEEKING ASSISTANCE WITH HIS ONGOING CIVIL SUIT AGAINST SUN BANKS N.A. OF FLORIDA. HE ADVISED THAT HIS CALL TO THE SENATE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE DEALT WITH HIS ALLEGATIONS THAT THE U.S. SUPREME COURT IS ENGAGED IN PAYOFFS AND CORRUPTION. HE ALSO CLAIMED TO HAVE SENT A LETTER TO THE SENATE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE CONCERNING THESE ALLEGATIONS. KANANEN CLAIMED THAT HE COULD NOT LOCATE HIS TELEPHONE BILL FOR AUGUST 1986, DUE TO HIS BLINDNESS. HE ADDED THAT HIS WIFE WAS NOT AT HOME, AND THAT HE WOULD HAVE TO RELY UPON HER TO LOCATE THE BILL. THIS WAS HIS RESPONSE TO A DIRECT REQUEST

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THAT THE INTERVIEWING AGENTS BE PERMITTED TO REVIEW HIS TELEPHONE BILL.

KANANEN DENIED OWNING ANY FIREARMS OR EXPLOSIVES, AND CLAIMED THAT HIS KNOWLEDGE OF EXPLOSIVES IS LIMITED TO WHAT HE WAS TAUGHT IN THE U.S. ARMY DURING THE 1950S.

KANANEN ALLEGED THAT U.S. SUPREME COURT IS CORRUPT AND THAT THE FBI, THE ATTORNEY GENERAL OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA, THE ORANGE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE, ORLANDO, AND THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF LAW ENFORCEMENT ARE ALL CORRUPT ALSO.

THE FOLLOWING BACKGROUND AND DESCRIPTIVE DATA WAS OBTAINED THROUGH OBSERVATION AND INTERVIEW:

RICHARD ALFRED KANANEN, WHITE MALE, BORN OCTOBER 15, 1933, AT QUINCY, MASS., SSAN 021-24-6052, APPROXIMATELY 6', 240 - 250 POUNDS, BROWN HAIR - WORN IN A CREWCUT STYLE, PRIOR SERVICE IN THE U.S. ARMY, SERVICE NUMBER RA11223221, FROM 1951 THROUGH 1954, AND 1957 TO 1958.

FOLLOWING COMPLETION OF THE INTERVIEW, THE FACTS OF THIS MATTER WERE DISCUSSED WITH AUSA [REDACTED] MDF, ORLANDO DIVISION, IN ORDER TO DETERMINE IF AUSA [REDACTED]

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WOULD AUTHORIZE ISUANCE OF A FGJ SUBPOENA FOR KANANEN'S
TELEPHONE TOLL RECORDS AND TO ASCERTAIN IF AUSA [REDACTED]
WOULD ENTERTAIN THE POSSIBILITY OF PROSECUTION OF THIS MATTER.

AUSA [REDACTED] ADVISED HE DID NOT SEE THE NEED FOR A SUBOENA
AND ADDED THAT HE WOULD RECOMMEND AGAINST PROSECUTION
OF KANANEN BASED UPON HIS EVALUATION THAT KANANEN APPEARED
TO HAVE BLURTED OUT ILL-ADVISED COMMENTS WHILE IN AN ANGER
STATE OF MIND AND DID NOT APPEAR TO BE CAPABLE OF CARRYING
OUT ANY THREATS AGAINST ANYONE.

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Date of transcription 10/8/86

RICHARD ALFRED KANANEN, 7611 Alachua Street, Orlando, Florida, telephone number 305/281-0594, was contacted at his residence. After being informed of the identities of the interviewing Agents, as well as the nature of the matter under investigation, he voluntarily furnished the following information:

KANANEN advised that he is legally blind and is capable only of seeing shadows. He advised that he has been considered legally blind for the last couple of years and that his condition began getting progressively worse approximately four to six years ago.

KANANEN was asked specifically if he made a telephone call to the Washington office of United States Senator PAUL SIMON on August 4, 1986, at approximately 3:00 p.m. KANANEN advised that he could not recall placing such a telephone call to the office of Senator PAUL SIMON.

KANANEN was asked if he recalled placing a telephone call to a United States Senator in Washington, D.C., concerning the civil law suit which he has pending against Sun Banks, N.A. of Florida. KANANEN advised that he has filed an appeal with the United States Supreme Court concerning that case and has sent a letter to the Senate Judiciary Committee, in which he alleged payoffs and corruption by the United States Supreme Court concerning its denial of a writ of certiorari in his case and its refusal to rehear the matter. KANANEN advised that he has requested help in investigating the Supreme Court, which he claimed only the United States Senate could do, and stated that he would not have called the office of a United States Senator for assistance with his civil suit.

KANANEN claimed that whomever furnished information to the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) which alleged that he had placed a telephone call to the office of United States Senator PAUL SIMON on August 4, 1986,

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had provided false and/or misleading information. He again claimed that he would never have provided a fact pattern involving his civil suit during a telephone conversation with a United States Senator and added that the only reason he would have called the office of a United States Senator would be to discuss his allegations of corruption against the United States Supreme Court.

KANANEN advised that he did place a telephone call to the Senate Judiciary Committee, but can not recall when he made this telephone call. He advised that he believed the call was made sometime after the date of June 17, 1986, which was the date of the letter which he received notifying him that the Supreme Court had denied his writ of certiorari. He advised that he believes his call to the Senate Judiciary Committee would probably have been prior to the date of August 19, 1986, which was the date that the United States Supreme Court denied him a rehearing on its earlier denial of certiorari.

At this point, Special Agent (SA) [redacted]

[redacted] read the following quote to KANANEN:

"I don't know what it takes, but if I have to kill someone to get action, that's what I'll do. I only have a ninth grade education, but I have an IQ of over 150, and I know you are just trying to put me off, but I will try to come out there and do something about this."

SA [redacted] also informed KANANEN that the individual who had called the office of United States Senator PAUL SIMON on August 4, 1986, at approximately 3:00 p.m., had used the aforementioned words and had also stated that "blood will be shed".

At this point in the interview, KANANEN was asked if he had ever called United States Senator PAUL SIMON and stated these or similar words over the telephone. KANANEN did not reply directly, but stated that he knows what it takes to kill someone, but he refused to elaborate when asked to do so. He then claimed that the United States Supreme Court is corrupt and will remain so for the next twenty-five years. He then listed a number of agencies which he alleged are corrupt, including the United States Supreme Court, the Federal Bureau of Investigation, the Attorney General's Office for the state of Florida, the Orange County, Florida, Sheriff's Office, and the Florida Department of Law Enforcement.

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KANANEN advised that he is representing himself in connection with his law suit against Sun Banks, N.A., because he can not afford a lawyer. He advised that he had been referred to a lawyer by the bar association, but found it unreasonable that the lawyer demanded a \$20,000.00 retainer up front.

KANANEN advised that he completed the tenth grade of high school and has also completed one year of college education.

KANANEN advised that he has been at this for twenty-five years, referring to having taken legal action against persons whom he felt had violated his rights in the past. He claimed that he had always won these law suits until the present suit was instituted against Sun Banks, N.A., and alleged that the reason he has been unsuccessful in this case traces to corruption within the state of Florida and the Federal Judiciary, including the United States Supreme Court.

KANANEN was asked if he had his telephone toll bill for the month of August available for review, and if so, would he make it available for review by the interviewing Agents. KANANEN advised that his wife was not at home at the time and he could not locate the bill because of his poor eye sight.

KANANEN reiterated that the only telephone call he could recall placing to "up there" (referring to Washington, D.C.) was to the Senate Judiciary Committee. He advised that he could not recall the date of that call or the identity of the individual with whom he spoke at that time.

The following background and descriptive data was obtained of KANANEN through observation and interview:

<u>NAME:</u>	<u>RICHARD ALFRED KANANEN</u>
<u>RACE:</u>	<u>White</u>
<u>SEX:</u>	<u>Male</u>
<u>DATE OF BIRTH:</u>	<u>October 15, 1933</u>
<u>PLACE OF BIRTH:</u>	<u>Quincy, Massachusetts</u>
<u>SOCIAL SECURITY</u>	<u>021-24-6052</u>
<u>ACCOUNT NUMBER:</u>	
<u>ADDRESS:</u>	<u>7611 Alachua Street</u> <u>Orlando, Florida</u>
<u>TELEPHONE NUMBER:</u>	<u>305/281-0594 (unlisted)</u>

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<u>HEIGHT:</u>	<u>Approximately 6'0"</u>
<u>WEIGHT:</u>	<u>Approximately 240 pounds</u>
<u>HAIR:</u>	<u>Brown, worn in a crew cut</u>
<u>PRIOR MILITARY SERVICE:</u>	<u>United States Army</u>
	<u>From 1951 through 1954;</u>
	<u>From 1957 through 1958</u>
<u>MILITARY SERVICE NUMBER:</u>	<u>RA11223221.</u>

KANANEN advised that he served in the United States Army in Korea during the early 1950s, at which time he was assigned to several units, including the 82nd Airborne Division. He advised that he reinlisted in the United States Army in 1957 in order to pursue Helicopter Pilot Training, but was discharged shortly thereafter when it was learned that he had undergone a spinal operation prior to his reinlistment.

KANANEN advised that he is considered legally blind and that he is under a doctor's care. He advised that he has been treated for having nine blockages in his heart, but has refused to undergo open heart surgery.

KANANEN was asked if he owned any firearms or explosives. He advised that he does not own any type of firearm and does not possess any explosives. He was asked if he possessed the knowledge to use explosives, and he replied that it does not require particular expertise in order to handle explosives and that he does not consider himself to be an expert in the field, but does possess limited knowledge of explosives acquired over thirty years ago while serving in the United States Army.

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Memorandum



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To : SAC, WFO

Date 12/12/86

From: SAC, TAMPA (9A-1496)(ORA)(RUC)

Subject: RICHARD ALFRED KANANEN;
SENATOR PAUL SIMON - VICTIM;
EXTORTION;
OO: WFO

Reference Tampa teletype to Director dated 9/25/86.

Enclosed for WFO are the original and one copy of a FD-302 regarding the interview of RICHARD ALFRED KANANEN, as well as Agent's original interview notes.

For the information of WFO, AUSA [redacted] Middle District of Florida, Orlando Division, Orlando, Florida, has been recontacted with regard to this matter, and specifically been requested to authorize the issuance of a Federal Grand Jury subpoena for the telephone toll records of KANANEN so that they might be checked in an attempt to determine positively that KANANEN placed the threatening telephone call to the office of Senator SIMON. AUSA [redacted] again declined to authorize prosecution of the matter within the Middle District of Florida, and again refused to issue a Federal Grand Jury subpoena for the toll records, saying that the totality of the facts and circumstances strongly indicated that KANANEN had placed the call in question, but that he was still of the opinion that KANANEN did not possess the capabilities of carrying out any threats against Senator SIMON or anyone else. AUSA [redacted] advised that in view of this, he did not believe that there was anything to be gained by subpoenaing the telephone toll records.

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No further investigation remains within the Tampa Division and this matter is being considered RUC.

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Information concerning: (Include NARCOTICS MATTERS here and in the TOTAL for "ALL MATTERS" column on Form FD-371.)

RICHARD ALFRED KANANEN;
Senator PAUL SIMON-Victim;
Extortion;
OO: WFO

Information furnished from File, Serial, and Page Number:

On 8/4/86 (date) a continuing disclosure was initiated with

United States Capitol Police (agency) and will be maintained until the conclusion of the investigation.

from informants

from complainants or other sources

Information furnished to:
Detective
Threats Squad

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Number of items disseminated: one

Remarks:

On 2/11/87, USCP provided with Tampa Division Memorandum to WFO, dated 12/12/86; USCP also provided with 10/8/86 FD-302 of interview of RICHARD ALFRED KANANEN.

Special Agent
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